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TAGS: CDES, GW (HULLINGER, KEVIN WALTER)  
SUBJECT: DEATH OF KEVIN WALTER HULLINGER

REF: MUNICH 2441

1. IT IS WITH DEEP REGRET THAT I MUST INFORM YOU OF THE DEATH OF KEVIN WALTER HULLINGER. THE MUNICH POLICE DEPARTMENT INFORMED THE AMERICAN CONSULAGE GENERAL AT MUNICH, GERMANY, OF HIS DEATH AS THE RESULT OF A FALL FROM A HILLSIDE NEAR FUESSEN, GERMANY, ON AUGUST 17, 1977 AT ABOUT 1/30 P.M.
  2. HE HAS BEEN IDENTIFIED BY HIS FRIENDS AND TRAVELING COMPANIONS, RICHARD COLLOU AND JOSEPH CARR.
  3. HIS PERSONAL EFFECTS ARE IN THE CUSTODY OF THE POLICE AT FUESSEN, GERMANY.
  4. REGRETFULLY, I MUST DRAW YOUR ATTENTION TO THE NEED TO MAKE URGENT ARRANGEMENTS. LOCAL LAW REQUIRES LOCAL BURIAL OR THAT ARRANGEMENTS BE MADE FOR SHIPMENT WITHIN 96 HOURS AFTER DEATH. WE WOULD LIKE TO KNOW AS SOON AS POSSIBLE WHETHER OR NOT YOU WISH TO HAVE THE REMAINS AND WHATEVER PROPERTY HE HAS HERE
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RETURNED TO THE UNITED STATES. IF SO, PREPARATION AND AIR SHIPMENT OF REMAINS TO WISCONSIN WOULD COST APPROXIMATELY \$2,000.00. CREMATION AND SHIPMENT OF REMAINS TO U.S. COST \$800.00; IF LOCAL BURIAL IS DESIRED, THE COST IS \$1,000.00 FOR PREPARATION OF REMAINS AND BURIAL. THE COST OF CREMATION AND LOCAL BURIAL IS \$800.00. ALL OF THESE COSTS ARE APPROXIMATE.

5. AFTER YOU HAVE MADE YOUR DECISION, PLEASE TAKE THE FOLLOWING ACTIONS:

(A) TELEGRAPH INSTRUCTIONS PROMPTLY AND DIRECTLY TO AMERICAN CONSULATE GENERAL IN MUNICH, GERMANY, AND INCLUDE THE NAME OF THE DECEASED IN YOUR MESSAGE. STATE WHETHER REQUIRED FUNDS ARE BEING TELEGRAPHED AND BY WHAT MEANS. INCLUDE NAME AND ADDRESS OF U.S. FUNERAL HOME YOU SELECT IF SHIPMENT IS DESIRED.

(B) SUGGEST YOU TELEGRAPHICALLY REQUIRED FUNDS SEPARATELY AND PROMPTLY THROUGH AMERICAN EXPRESS COMPANY, MUNICH, GERMANY, PAYABLE TO AMERICAN CONSULATE GENERAL, MUNICH.

(C) IF YOU ARE HAVING THE REMAINS SHIPPED TO THE U.S. YOU MAY WISH TO HAVE THE U.S. FUNERAL HOME YOU SELECT MAKE THESE ARRANGEMENTS FOR YOU.

6. UPON RECEIPT OF THE REQUIRED FUNDS, YOUR INSTRUCTIONS WILL BE CARRIED OUT AS PROMPTLY AS CIRCUMSTANCES PERMIT. WE ESTIMATE APPROXIMATELY THREE DAYS WILL BE REQUIRED FOLLOWING RECEIPT OF FUNDS TO CARRY OUT YOUR INSTRUCTIONS IF REMAINS ARE TO BE SHIPPED. UPON COMPLETION OF ALL FORMALITIES, A FOREIGN SERVICE REPORT OF DEATH PREPARED BY THIS  
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OFFICE WILL BE FORWARDED TO YOU.

7. IF NECESSARY, YOU MAY CONTACT THE CONSULATE GENERAL BY TELEPHONING DURING OFFICE HOURS (8:30 A.M. - 5:30 P.M.) TO 2301734 OR AFTER OFFICE HOURS TO 645676.

8. PLEASE BE ASSURED OF MY DEEPEST SYMPATHY IN YOUR BEREAVEMENT.

AMERICAN CONSUL GENERAL  
MUNICH, GERMANY GILMORE

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